

Appl. No. 09/804,082

Reply to Office Action of January 10, 2006

**REMARKS**

In the Office Action mailed on January 10, 2006, claims 2, 7, 12, 14 and were objected to. Claims 2, 7, and 11 are amended herewith to comply with the objections. Claims 12, 14 and 15 are cancelled herewith.

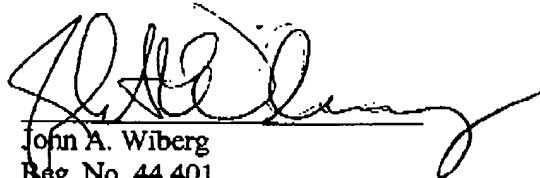
Also in the Office Action, claims 11, 14 and 15 were rejected under 35 U.S.C. 103(a). Claim 12 was indicated to be allowable if amended to incorporate the limitations of its base claim (claim 11). Although Applicant does not necessarily agree with the 103(a) rejections, claim 11 is amended herewith to incorporate the limitations of claim 12, and claims 14 and 15 are cancelled herewith, in order to expedite allowance of the application.

In view of the foregoing amendments and remarks, Applicant respectfully requests allowance of claims 1-8 and 11.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge additional fee(s) or credit overpayment(s) to the deposit account of McAndrews, Held & Malloy, Account No. 13-0017.

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Respectfully submitted,



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